

GAME NOTES

Nanaimo Clippers at Wenatchee Wild





This evening, the Wenatchee Wild (5-6-0), 10 pts., 7th Place Interior Div.) play their first home game of the season as they face the Nanaimo Clippers (3-7-0, 6 pts., 4th Place, Island Div.) in the first of two meetings this season.

HEAD TO HEAD: Tonight is the eighth meeting all time between the Wild and Nanaimo. The Wild sport a winning record of 4-1-1-1 over the first seven, and are 3-0-0 at Town Toyota Center all time against the Clippers. The teams will meet again in Nanaimo on January 6, 2019.

WHO TO WATCH FOR: Wenatchee has four players who share the team points lead with 12 each, including first-year forwards Christophe Fillion (8g, 4a) and Cristophe Tellier (5g, 7a) and veterans Lucas Sowder (2g, 10a) and Murphy Stratton (2g, 10a). Brandon Koch leads Wild defensemen with 8 points (1g, 7a). Nanaimo is led by Ethan Scardina (3g, 4a), MacKenzie Merriman (4g, 2a) and Joshua Bourne (2g, 4a). Aiden Hansen-Bukata leads Clipper blueliners with 5 points.

SPECIAL TEAMS: WEN PP – 10/48 20.8% 4th WEN PK – 10/44 77.3% 14th

NAN PP - 8/41 19.5% 6th NAN PK - 12/57 78.9% 12th

LAST GAMES: Wenatchee closed out a season-opening eleven game road trip with a 4-1 loss at Chilliwack on Saturday night. Nanaimo's last game was a 4-3 shootout win at home over Trail last Sunday.

MOVING ON: The Wild are back on the road tomorrow as they face the Langley Rivermen at George Preston Recreation Centre. The Clippers will travel up to West Kelowna Saturday, and then Coquitlam on Sunday.

MEDIA: Tonight's game will be aired locally on NewsRadio 560 KPQ and streamed free world wide, and available on a payper-view basis with HockeyTV.com. Pregame show airs tonight at 6:45 pm.

TONIGHT'S PROMOTIONS: Tonight, AG Supply will hand out free cowbells to the first 1,000 fans, and we will have a ring ceremony with team owners David and Lisa White presenting championship rings to returning players and coaching staff. We will also drop our Championship Banners from the rafters.

NEXT HOME GAME: The Wild are home next weekend with a pair of games against the Merritt Centennials, Friday and Saturday. Friday we celebrate "Hocktoberfest" and Saturday is the annual "Diapers and Undies Toss" Night.

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